

Please make the following changes to the Specification:

- 1) Change the Title of the Invention from the title that was used at the time of application filing to the title that is reflected in the English translation of the application, which reads as follows:**

Process for the production of multi-component mineral substance preparations

- 2) The two consecutive paragraphs starting on page 42, line 12 of the English translation of the application should be combined into one paragraph as follows:**

According to the invention, the process can also be carried out in batch mode with two different heating zones, however at least a partially continual process control is preferred, wherein preferably the secondary oxidation is continually running. ~~An~~ In an application example ~~is illustrated in Figure 1. Description of Figure 1: The~~ , the primary oxidized material is transported through a rotating auger and pushed through a vertically placed heating zone. This means that the heating zone can be brought up to a temperature of between 300° and 3000°C using electrical resistances or also inductively or even using electro-magnetic radiation or gas or oil firing.